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## ALL THE WAY TO CROSSFIELD ON THE FIRST DAY OF JULY

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## 9c Sale - - Saturday - Monday - Tuesday

ORANGES	Sweet and juicy, 1-2 doz. for	9c
CORN FLAKES	Kellogg's, per packet	9c
	Quaker, " "	9c
GRAPE FRUIT JUICE	10 oz. cans, each	9c
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	Cream of Oyster " "	9c
PORK & BEANS	16 oz. tins	9c
ALPINE MILK	per tin	9c
IODIZED SALT	Free Running, per carton	9c
SPICES	per tin	9c
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SOAP	Kirks Hardwater, 2 cakes for	9c
	P & G Laundry, " "	9c
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POTTED MEATS	ass'td, for sandwiches, per tin	9c
POCKET MATCHES	10 boxes for	9c
DUTCH COCOA	10 ozs. for	9c

### Friday to be Big Day For District Sports

At a meeting of the Sports and Entertainment committees of the Board of Trade, Saturday last, everything was checked over so as to prevent anything from being left out for the big event.

There will be eight softball teams and three visiting baseball teams in Crossfield to help in giving the fans the time of their life.

Furthermore, we have been informed that the Banner Electric Loudspeaker Microphone Systems will be employed to fill the sports grounds with music.

If weather permits, this will be one of the best and biggest sports days held in Crossfield for some time.

Follow the leader on Friday, and you will be sure to land on the grounds where there is some real action.

### Anglican Church Picnic.

The Sunday school and congregational picnic will be held on Monday, July 4th, at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Cruickshank.

Cars to meet at the church at 2:00 p.m. Offers of cars to convey the children and congregation will be gladly accepted.

If the weather is wet, the picnic will be postponed until the late summer.

### Let it Rain.

England, which has given the world the umbrella and the mackintosh, recently added a new weapon to the battle against rain. Discovered in the research laboratories of Imperial Chemical Industries, the new weapon is described by a writer in the current issue of the C.I.I. Oval as the first finishing agent to make all kinds of textiles durably water-repellent and stain resistant. When Canadian mills started using the agent, says the writer, convincing demonstrations of the valuable qualities it imparts to materials were held at which cups of tea were tossed over limsy summer dresses, soda siphoned and drinks spilled over shimmering evening gowns, while nearby gold-fish swam around in bowls of gaberdine. Textile and fashion experts who saw the shows predicted the wide spread introduction of water-repellent and stain-proof garments.

### Clydesdale Field Day.

The following is the programme of the Clydesdale Field Day, to be held at the Dominion Experimental Station, Lacombe, for Tuesday, July 5th.

12:00 — Lunch; coffee, cream, sugar and cups provided by the Experimental Station.

1:00 — President's address — Lawrence M. Rye, Edmonton.

1:30 — The Horse Breeding Industry.

Demonstration & Discussion on "Blemishes and Unsoundness in Horses."

2:00 — Parade of Forty Clydesdales led by six and four-horse teams and Scotch pipers.

Demonstration & Discussion on "Clydesdale Type" — W. L. Carlyle. Judging five classes of Clydesdales by expert judges who will give reasons for placings.

Demonstration on Dressing & Showing a Draft horse.

Demonstration on trimming horses feet.

Much to see and something to learn for everyone.

### Stores Close on Dominion Day

Tomorrow (Friday) the Crossfield stores will remain closed for the entire day.

Remember this is Dominion Day, and the day of sports.

### Schools Again Close.

This week marks the closing of the schools for another term, thus bringing smiles and that holiday spirit to the pupils and teachers who have worked hard to reach the mark.

The next two months will be spent in holiday atmospheres, and in September all will be ready for the school fair and studying.

### Surprise Shower Given

#### For Isobel Goldie

Miss Isobel Goldie was the guest of honour at the home of Mrs. Mossop, last Saturday, when a number of friends gathered to spring a surprise and present her with many useful gifts.

When Mrs. Amery played the wedding march, the Misses Vida McMillan and Elsie Mossop entered, dressed as bride and groom, bringing in the gifts and passed them around after they had been opened.

Miss Goldie suitably thanked her friends for the many lovely gifts, after which a dainty lunch was served.

In the evening the young people went to the Gloomchasers dance and the older ones played bridge.

### Farm Women's Week.

The first "Farm Women's Week" was held at the Schools of Agriculture in 1930 and they have been held annually since then. The suggestion for such a week came from several farm women who had visited one of the schools during the summer months and were impressed with the suitability of the buildings and the grounds for a week of change and recreation for those women who, on account of home ties and finances, could not get away for a long holiday to distant points. The beauty of the grounds and gardens, the comfort of the dormitories, the comparative acceptability of the schools and the type of instruction available, were all factors that were considered.

A full programme for four days is arranged at each school, but those who attend, may miss an odd period if they find the full course too much. At Vermilion School the classes will open on Tuesday, July 5th, and close the evening of Friday, July 8th. Classes open at the Olds School on Monday, August 1st, and close on Thursday, August 4th. Delegates may have accommodation at the prescribed rates, commencing on the afternoon previous to the opening days and until the morning following the four-day course, if such arrangements are necessary for convenience of arrival and departure.

There will be lectures on a variety of topics by the instructors in domestic science, sewing problems, diets, preservation of foods, home decoration, etc. The instructor in horticulture will have several periods, on the growing of flowers, shrubs, and vegetables. These will be outdoor periods, the growing material on the school grounds forming the basis of the talks. There will be two evening sessions with talks on literary and historical subjects. No fee for the classes will be charged.

### Co-Operative U.F.A. Store

CROSSFIELD

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#### Summer Specials!

Straw Hats -	20c & 25c
Trooper Sun Helmets -	50c
Mens Work Shirts -	98c
Mens White Horse Gauntlet Gloves	75c
Colored Rayon Table Covers, 52x52	95c
Work Boots -	\$2.95

#### Grocery Specials!!

Pork and Beans, 16 oz. tins, 3 for	29c
Strawberry Jam with pectin -	53c
Squirrel Peanut Butter, qt. sealers	40c
Skim Milk Cheese, 2 lb. box -	49c
Kraft Sandwich Spread, 6 oz. jar -	20c

#### Hardware Specials!!!

1 Gal. Picnic or Outing Jug -	\$2.10
7-Piece Glass Water Sets -	\$1.19
Blue Enamel Cold Pack Canners -	\$1.95
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Artillery Type Wheels - Rubber Tires - Roller Bearings  
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### United Church Marks closing of School Term

Rev. Stanley R. Hunt welcomed the teachers and scholars of the Crossfield school as they gathered with the congregation at the United Church last Sunday evening, to mark the closing of the school term.

Mr. W. K. Gish, the principal, gave an address, stressing that the church gave a deeper interpretation of life than the school was able to give.

The Pastor interpreted life as bread, loyalty and worship.

#### Application For Road Allowance.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. Frank Hopper, of Crossfield, has made application to the Minister of Public Works, Edmonton, for a lease of the following road allowance or surveyed street, viz: the south portion of Munsen street, running off Smith street, which the latter runs east by west.

Any protest against the granting of the above mentioned lease must be forwarded to the Minister of Public Works, Edmonton, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

Dated at Crossfield, Alberta, this 22nd day of June, 1938.  
FRANK HOPPER, Applicant.

WHAT DOES THE WORD "HOME"  
MEAN TO YOU?

Your Answer may win  
\$10,000.00 cash



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OLIVER  
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GOOD FOOD  
WELL PREPARED

is the only kind we serve here

YOU WILL FIND THIS RESTAURANT NOT

"ANOTHER PLACE TO EAT" but  
"A PLACE TO EAT ANOTHER"

The Taste Will Tell

## Gold Where It's Found

"There's gold where you find it."

It's an adage familiar to prospectors who dare the loneliness of the wilds, the heat of the summer and the snow and ice of the winter in the hope of some day striking that elusive vein which shall put an end to their toils. It is not only current among prospectors, but the truth of its assertion has recently been perpetuated in movieland as the title to a popular film.

The adage gives point to many a saga of the hinterlands where men have grown grizzled and grey in a vain search for the precious metal and have finally lain down at the end of their labors unrepentant.

One feels stirred to pity at such stories and is tempted to wonder if they might not have found a better reward if they had pursued some other venture, less romantic but more remunerative. Perhaps they might have done better had they observed and heeded the call of opportunities close at hand instead chasing the rainbow which led them far afield.

### Other Opportunities

Similarly one may be led to speculate at times whether some of our governments are not passing up an opportunity which lies at their door to develop to its utmost, latent wealth which might perhaps be readily attainable, or developed to a much greater extent than it has been in recent years; whether or not some of the efforts which are being made to search for hidden riches in remote areas might not return steadily accumulating dividends of greater value in the long run if they were turned to the cultivation of prospects outside our back doors.

Specifically, reference is made to the tourist traffic from south of the international boundary line—a plum of great value that will soon be ripe for the plucking if the field is cultivated with care and the product is nursed with an eye to greater yield at harvest time.

That there are great potentials in this comparatively new found industry, and that it would respond readily if the necessary encouragement were given, there can be no doubt, when one reads of the growth it is making with the comparatively small effort that is being made to develop it. One finds, for instance, without any undue effort, that it is an industry that is growing rapidly and materially and is inclined to wonder whether greater efforts would not bring astonishing results, and in a very short time.

For instance, latest statistics, just to hand, reveal that the total estimated expenditures in Canada of tourists from other countries during 1937 amounted to approximately \$294,682,000 compared with \$251,299,000 in 1936, a gain in one year of \$43,383,000 and of this amount a total expenditure of \$277,710,000 is attributed by the Department of National Revenue at Ottawa to tourists from the United States.

### A Growing Industry

The total for last year is not far short of the value of the Western wheat crop in an average annual year, though it is true that the bulk of the benefit is derived by Eastern Canada and British Columbia. Nevertheless, when this comparatively new-found gold mine yields an increase of approximately 15 per cent. in one year without any great effort being made to develop it, one is warranted in anticipating that more vigorous prosecution of effort would result in increasing production by leaps and bounds.

The figures amply demonstrate that the "ore" is available in much greater quantity and that Americans only need greater encouragement to visit this country in increasing numbers and thus assist in improving our revenues.

If Western Canada is to share to a greater extent in this potential source of wealth it is absolutely essential that more attention be given to the highways of the country. More links are needed between the highways on both sides of the international boundary, and greater efforts should be made to improve and maintain in a high state of efficiency the highways already built.

While it is true that the Canadian west has much of interest to offer to tourists from the south, more could be done to add to the attractions. There is much land in the prairie countries which is not of sufficiently high quality to farm profitably and some of this land could be converted into parks, game preserves and beauty spots under a program of reforestation.

### Publicity Needed

And when more good roads are available and more and wider areas are developed as parks and playgrounds, not only for visitors from the south but also for our own people, the necessity of making these attractions well known to prospective tourists by a well directed and co-ordinated publicity program should not be overlooked.

It is true that something has been done in this direction in the past but depression has impeded progress. Now, it appears, however, that the time is approaching when much more can and should be done and the value of such an undertaking will not be hampered one iota if much of the work is undertaken as an unemployment relief measure.

### Titled Cleric

Canada's Only Titled Clergyman

Leaves For England

Sir Francis Heathcote, Archbishop of Vancouver, was bound for England, slightly confused over the turn of events that have made him Canada's only titled clergyman.

Leaving Montreal for Quebec, where he boarded the liner Empress of Australia for England, the tall, handsome cleric who came to Canada from England in the 80's, told reporters he had little or no information on his inheritance.

He said his succession to Sir Gilbert Heathcote was bewildering because he had been so far down the line.

"I'm the sixth son of a third son," he said, "and there's a large nephew in between, but they're all dead now."

Sir Francis has no church in Canada, the Vancouver archbishop being an endowment of Lady Burdett-Coutts.

Home medicine cabinets have been invented with combination locks to prevent children opening them.

**THIS BACKACHE IS AN AGONY!**

**KIDNEYS WILL CAUSE IT!**

Sluggish kidneys in your system accumulate waste, backache, headache and rheumatic pains often follow when the kidneys fail to filter out the waste. The pills will give the kidneys the help they need to filter out the waste, prevent their work through "Pain Relief" pills.

**GIN PILLS FOR THE KIDNEYS**

## "GET A LINE ON OGDEN'S"



Up with a real treat! Roll your own cigarettes with OGDEN'S Fine Cut and you'll come the fuller smoking enjoyment that this cooler and more fragrant tobacco gives. You'll roll them over better if you make use of the "Chameleon" or "Vogue" papers.



### Big Fleet For Russia

Soviets Plan To Greatly Increase Naval Power

Plans intended to make Soviet Russia one of the great naval powers of the world are being pushed and should begin to bear fruit within the next four or five years.

Realizing a great maritime Russia is not possible without a powerful high seas fleet, Soviet leaders have already completed the initial technical work which will give the nation a huge four-arm fleet grouped on the Baltic, White and Black seas and the Pacific ocean.

Equipment is now ready by which the nation should be enabled to manufacture big calibre guns.

15,780 tons together with powerful protective armament. Foreign technical help will be used in the early stages of the construction period.

The last two modern cruisers built at Leningrad were constructed with the aid of Italian engineers.

## SELECTED RECIPES

### ORANGE CREAM

2½ cups milk  
½ cup white sugar  
4 tablespoons St. Lawrence or Durham Corn Starch  
3 tablespoons orange juice  
2 tablespoons lemon juice  
1 tablespoon grated orange and lemon rind mixed  
2 eggs separated  
1 teaspoon salt  
Add graded rinds to juices and allow to stand. Scald 1½ cups milk in double boiler. Add sugar and corn starch mixed with remaining cold milk. Stir constantly until thick. Cook 10 minutes stirring frequently. Add beaten egg yolks and salt. Cook 5 minutes. Add strained fruit juice and cool. Pour over cut up oranges sweetened to taste. Cover with meringue made of the stiffly beaten egg whites with 2 tablespoons fruit sugar. Brown slightly. Crushed pineapple is a nice addition to oranges.

### No Infringement

Motion Picture Company Wins Appeal In Copyright Case

Use of a song title as the name of a motion picture does not constitute an infringement on that song's copyright, the Ontario Court of Appeal ruled.

Accordingly, it allowed the appeal of Twentieth Century Fox Corporation Limited against a judgment holding that company liable to Francis, Day and Hunter, song publishers, for \$1,046.25 for using the title, "The Man Who Broke the Bank at Monte Carlo," in a picture. Neither words nor music were used.

"The owner of the copyright suffered no wrong by what was done," said Mr. Justice Middleton, for the court.

"The idea, if any, of the song, its words and its music were not taken."

### Just What She Meant

After a church conference the hostesses met and talked about their visitors. Someone asked Mrs. Brown what visitors she had had.

"I had two locust preachers," was the reply.

"You mean locust preachers. Locusts are those things that eat up every thing."

"That's right. I had two of them."

Ye Olde Cheshire Cheese, famous old London inn, now employs waiter named William, out of respect for the memory of Old William, favorite waiter on 18th century literary greats.

A baby grand piano weighs about 450 pounds.

## Foreign Spies

Try To Flit Secrets From U.S. Airplane Factories

Foreign spies, trying to flit secrets from American war plane factories, want to know how the United States proposes to operate planes of the future without propellers.

They would like to find out the extent of United States laboratory work in launching tomorrow's war planes, weighing several hundred thousand pounds, by catapult.

They risk their lives to steal the designs for aircraft bomb sights, which enable army and navy aviators to reach a target unerringly from an altitude of four miles.

When 18 persons were indicted on charges of espionage, it was learned from confidential sources, it marked only the beginning of a drive against more than one foreign spy ring.

Ramifications of the work of foreign secret intelligence agents, intensified by the international situation and the world rearmament race, are known only to picked government agents working with the army and navy, the justice, treasury and other departments of the civil governments are protecting devices for national defense with which war planes may not be equipped for another five years.

## Flies Like A Fly

Plane Designed By German Professor Has No Propeller

An international record was claimed for Professor Heinrich's "house fly" flying machine which flew 144 miles from Bremen to Rangsdorf, near Berlin.

The hell-copter, like a fly, can go forward, up, backward, sideways, down or stand still in the air.

The machine has rotating wings driven by an engine in the fuselage. It has no propeller, but uses changing angle of incidence of the revolving wings for its sideward, backward and forward motion.

## Expert At Mopping Up

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## MAKE READY FOR HOLIDAYING

By Anne Adams

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## Radio Plays

Cash Prizes To Be Offered By Broadcasting Corporation

It is the intention of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation to encourage Canadian authors to write purely Canadian radio drama suitable for broadcast purposes, dealing with Canadian matters, and to obtain this sort of material it will offer cash prizes.

This announcement was made by Major Gladstone Murray, general manager of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation, in an address to the Canadian Authors' Association, on "What Radio Has To Offer the Writer."

A semi-independent board of adjudicators would be set up to decide on the material selected.

Major Murray told the association it was essential that radio work be done well. The spoken essay was the most important part of broadcasting. In this connection he referred to a recent successful broadcast of a story by Miss Mary Weekes of Regina, "The Last Buffalo Hunt," which was an example of the desired type of material. He also praised the broadcasts of Bruce Hutchison over CBC.

Quality of good radio writing should be its directness, simplicity and good use of Anglo-Saxon synonyms.

Sound of the language in a story broadcast was also a most important feature. Centre of the problem of radio broadcasts was the drama and the most successful so far had been adaptations of stage plays and novels. There had been some writing done purely for the radio, in Canada, but it had not been very distinctive.

There was a great and rich field for writing for the radio, dealing entirely with Canadian contemporary manners and the interpretation of one section of Canada to another section.

"I place art always in the foreground," said Major Murray. Canada should not be an imitator of foreign methods of broadcasting.

Rupert Caplan, of the Canadian Broadcasting Company, Montreal, and well known producer of plays, said the opportunity offered to write good radio plays had not been taken up seriously by leading Canadian writers.

Caplan said the radio listener today wanted to be entertained, more than educated. Canadian radio authorities were searching for good radio material, could not find enough of it. "It is not necessary to go up in the attic for it," he said. "It is all around you, in the home, on the street, in your every day life."

## The Centre Of Unity

Throne Binds British Empire Together States Lord Tweedsmuir

Without the unifying power of the crown, none of the other ties which hold together the free, autonomous nations of the British empire would "bind for long," Lord Tweedsmuir said in an address at Bishop's college convocation in Lennoxville, Que.

"The throne is the centre of empire unity," the governor-general told the gathering at graduation exercises.

"What is there in common between peoples who represent every race-stock on earth?" he asked. "Yet these differences are differences within a unity. The throne binds the whole empire together and gives cohesion to a vast growth whose ultimate destiny is unpredictable. There are other binding influences, such as the bonds of sentiment and blood and of tradition, but without the unifying power of the crown none of these would bind for long."

"To millions of dark-skinned peoples in Asia and Africa and the isles of the sea, government means the person of the sovereign."

The importance of the British monarch is not in "what he does but in what he is," said the governor-general. "We are a democracy in which the will of the people prevails by means of their elected representatives. But the king represents the people in a deeper sense—abiding continuity of the nation behind all the mutations and vicissitudes of parties."

Britain has rebelled quite often against kings. But never against kingship.

## Really Seeing The Country

Chance Comes With Necessity For Dr. New Car Slowly

A friend of ours who bought a new car the other day is having an enjoyable experience, states the St. Mary's Journal-Argus. For the first few hundred miles he is driving the car at 20-mile rate. And he says he is really getting acquainted with the countryside as he tours about. He sees what is going on about him up and down the concessions and he observes an interesting and informing picture.

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## FORMAL DIVISION TERMINATES THE BUDGET DEBATE

Ottawa.—After one of the shortest budget debates in years, the King government was victorious on the three formal divisions of the House of Commons, all in connection with the motion to resolve the house into committee to consider details of the budget.

Only one Liberal member, Harry Leader, of Portage la Prairie, voted against the annual financial statement which made no changes in tariffs and no changes in taxation except to exempt certain commodities, chiefly building materials, from the sales tax.

While the Liberals voted solidly, with the exception of Mr. Leader, the opposition groups lined up on different sides on the three divisions.

A C.C.F. sub-amendment regretting failure to lower tariffs in accord with the 1919 Liberal platform, was defeated by 169 to 23. Voting for the amendment were the C.C.F. members, Miss Agnes Macphail (U.F.O.-Labor, Grey-Bruce), the Social Credit group and Mr. Leader. Voting against it were the Liberals, the Conservatives, A. W. Neil (Ind., Comox-Alberni), J. S. Taylor (Ind., Nanaimo), and Hon. H. H. Stevens (Reform, Kootenay East).

A Conservative amendment regretting failure of the budget to announce a reduction in taxation was defeated by 136 to 53. Voting for the amendment were all the Conservatives, C.C.F. and Social Credit members, Miss Macphail and Mr. Stevens. Voting against it were the Liberals, with the exception of Mr. Leader, who did not vote, Mr. Neil and Mr. Taylor.

Conservatives then called for a formal division on the main motion, and on this the opposition parties again united. The vote was 135 to 52. Mr. Leader voted with the opposition. Finance Minister Charles Dunning, who presented the budget a week ago, was not present for the vote as he was taken ill and confined to his home. Albert also voted with the opposition. Mr. H. H. Stevens, who started the debate by moving the Conservative amendment as chief opposition financial critic.

Mr. H. H. Stevens, Conservative leader, just before the vote, explained his party could not support the C.C.F. amendment because it was glad, not sorry, the Liberal party had failed to carry out its tariff policies. He congratulated the Liberals on having the courage to disregard their election promises when they realized to fulfill them would mean disaster to the country.

Mr. Bennett seemed anxious to disassociate himself from the C.C.F. group, said R. H. Mackenzie King, prime minister. That group had merely succeeded in lining itself up with the Conservatives, as the adoption of their motion would also enforce the Conservative motion. It was clear there was one great Conservative party in Canada although it was divided into two parts, one called Liberal, said Miss Macphail.

Efforts of the United States to secure a part of the markets now served by the Canadian products in the United Kingdom should not be permitted to succeed, Hon. C. H. Cahan, former Conservative secretary of state, told the house. He warned the government against one-sided concessions to the United States in the trade treaty now under discussion at Washington.

Hon. W. R. Meighen, veteran Liberal member for Melville, urged creation of a banking commission which would protect the public against the arbitrary closing of branch banks.

While Mr. Cahan congratulated the government on pursuing a more realistic tariff policy than formerly, a western Liberal, Dr. Farry Fleming, of Humboldt, complained bitterly at the absence of tariff reductions in the budget. It was only after long thought and against his inclination that he had decided to vote for the budget because he could not support either the Conservative or C.C.F. amendments.

### Valuable Book Sold

London.—A 212-year-old copy of "Gulliver's Travels" was sold at auction to the Rosenbach Company of New York for \$12,500. The volume was a part of the library of the late Lord Dunsany.

### Six Aviators Killed

London.—Six Royal Air Force flyers were killed when two torpedo bombers plunged into the sea during night manoeuvres off Swettenham, Federated Malay states, the air ministry announced.

## Queen's Mother Dies

Countess Of Strathmore, Mother Of Queen Elizabeth, Dies At Her London Home

London.—The Countess of Strathmore, mother of Queen Elizabeth, died at her London home. She was 76.

Lady Strathmore married the 14th Earl of Strathmore and Kinghorne 56 years ago. She was formerly Miss Nina Cavendish-Bentinck, a member of the family of the Duke of Portland.

The King, who returned from Westmouth where he attended home fleet manoeuvres, and the queen were at the bedside. The queen has remained in London to be near her mother. Lord Strathmore also was present.

A second daughter, Lady Rose Leveson Gower, flew to London from the Isle of Man and also was present when Lady Strathmore died.

When the engagement of their daughter, Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon, was announced to the then Duke of York, the earl remarked it was a "true love match" since the Strathmores never had aspired to court circles.

The countess was said to have been happiest when caring for Glamis castle, their Scottish seat where Macbeth is said to have murdered Duncan.

The king and queen, who had been in constant touch with the Strathmore residence, Cumberland Palace, returned to Buckingham Palace shortly after her death.

The Earl of Strathmore, who at 83 is tall and thin, happiest in rural tweeds pottering about his 24,700 acres, and the countess always lived in a retiring manner, most of the time at Glamis castle.

## Houses For Mining Town

Nova Scotia Is Building Small Settlement Under Co-operative Plan

Halifax.—A venture in co-operative housing was launched for the coal-mining town of Reserve by the Nova Scotia housing commission.

The project, believed the first of its kind in Canada, calls for construction of a miniature community on a large block of land at the Cape Breton island town. Financed by long-term loans through the commission, the scheme will start off with 11 houses, each with a garden plot.

Laid out on modern lines, the little settlement will have a parkway running through the property and a central area for use as a community garden and tree plot. There will be a large playground for children.

Monthly payments for interest and amortization will be exceptionally low and will enable the means of the families concerned.

## Canada's Sheep Industry

Support Of Industry By Consumers Urged By Speaker

Calgary.—Support of Canada's sheep industry by consumer insistence on articles "made with pure virgin fleeces wool" rather than wool from the United States, said the speaker, of Toronto, assistant general manager of Canadian Co-operative Wool Growers, Limited.

He told members of a service club that Canada's sheep population had not increased since 1850, but the number in Australia was five times as great as in 1850.

"The sheep industry has brought Australia back from the depths of depression more than once," he added.

## First One In Century

Sailed Being Tried For Murder Aboard British Warship

Hong Kong.—The first trial for murder aboard a British warship in a century opened when Ordinary Seaman Edwin Dwyer, 19, pleaded not guilty before judge and jury to the murder of Leading Seaman Robert Dickinson, 29, aboard the cruiser Dorsetshire off Australia May 2.

The crown alleges Dwyer shot Dickinson after the latter discovered an offence Dwyer had committed.

### Many Delegates Expected

Ottawa.—Accompanees from more than 1,000 delegates to the National Conservative convention here July 5, 6 and 7 have already been received from all parts of Canada. John R. MacNeil, joint convention chairman, said at least 1,800 delegates are expected, with several hundred visitors.

### Third Picture Finished

North Bay, Ont.—The Dionne quintuplets have finished their third motion picture and the film company location unit left for the south, with director-planning performances by the youngsters recorded on film. The company shot 20,000 feet of film during two weeks.

## Wants Militia Act Revised

Parliamentary Control Is Sought By Member For B.C.

Ottawa.—Revision of the militia act to establish parliamentary control over the command of Canadian forces, the imposition of compulsory service and the despatch of troops outside Canada beyond question of doubt was urged in the House of Commons by Grant Macneil (C.C.F., Vancouver North).

He moved second reading of his bill to amend the militia act which has stood on the order paper for some time along with another bill of a similar character to amend the naval service act.

As the law now stands, Mr. Macneil claimed, conscription could be established and troops could be sent overseas without consent of parliament.

(Leaders of the government, including Prime Minister Mackenzie King and Conservative Leader R. B. Bennett when prime minister, have said this is not so.)

## THE SOLUTION OF JOBLESS PROBLEM ONE FOR OTTAWA

Vancouver.—Financial assistance of the federal government was essential to any solution of transient unemployed and indigent problems, W. R. Bone, social services administrator for Vancouver, told delegates to the Canadian conference on social work here.

Bone said there must be registration, not only of the unemployed and unemployed, but of the entire population of Canada so every person could be identified with the province or locality in which he was eligible for such social services as were available.

"We should also look nearer home to see whether our junior government bodies are not partially responsible for the present problem of drifters," he said, adding that many municipalities unable to meet their relief problems, took a "short cut" by assisting individuals and families to move elsewhere on the chance they might do better in a new location.

Mr. Bone urged federal recognition of the transient problem as not a passing phase but a "problem to be met only by concerted action and thorough regulation."

There should be co-operation between provinces for enforcement of uniform domicile regulations, to remove as far as possible the inducement to move by adopting "basic welfare allowances and services."

## Field Has Been Opened

Empire Exchange Of Women Reporters Is Now Possible

Winnipeg.—Empire exchange of women reporters has been opened within reach of members of the Canadian Women's Press Club, Miss Isabel Armstrong, president, told delegates at the triennial convention here. The Empire Press Union has notified the club that the empire field was open to women reporters for exchange as well as men. Age limit for interchange of reporters is 35. The problem now was billets in the Old Country and overseas dominions, Miss Armstrong said.

### OFF TO ENGLAND AFTER SPEED BOAT HONOURS



Hoping to lift the Duke of York's Trophy and thereby create a precedent by being the first Canadians to win this international speed-boat trophy, two young Canadians, Charles Wheaton, of Toronto, and R. J. McNelis of Quebec, sailed from Quebec on the Canadian Pacific liner "Empress of Australia". Their craft were also on board, and they are named "Shadow II" and "Miss Quebec III."

### TO OPEN C.N.E.



Lord Stanley, British Secretary of State for the Dominions, who will come to Canada in August to officiate at the opening of the Canadian National Exhibition at Toronto. His grandfather, Lord Stanley, former Governor-General of Canada, opened the Canadian National Exhibition 50 years ago.

## Insists On Amendment

Senate's Stand On Farmers Creditors Act Causes Statement

Ottawa.—The senate and the house of Commons became stalemated on the act amending the Farmers Creditors Arrangement Act. An amendment to the measure made by the senate was rejected by the commons, but the upper house insists on its amendment, and the matter rests at that for the time being.

Customary procedure now is for the commons to ask for conference with the senate so attempts may be made to iron out the difficulty. The bone of contention between the two houses is the clause the senate inserted into the bill to automatically terminate the Farmers Creditors Arrangement Act in all provinces except Alberta and Saskatchewan at the end of the present year.

The commons reason for rejecting this was that "it would cause hardship in other provinces." The senate disagreed with the commons on that ground, holding "there is no further necessity for the act in any of the provinces after Dec. 31, 1935."

## Wheat Marketings

Canadian Wheat In Store Shows Heavy Decrease

Ottawa.—Canadian wheat in store for the week ended June 17 decreased 1,510,420 bushels from the previous week and 20,629,933 from the corresponding week a year ago, the Dominion bureau of statistics reported. The amount in store was reported at 27,664,272 bushels against 29,174,692 the previous week and 48,294,205 for the week ended June 18, 1935. Canadian wheat in the United States totaled 927,000 bushels against 892,000 and 5,944,294.

Wheat marketings in the prairie provinces for the week ended June 17 totalled 806,455 bushels compared with 743,591 the previous week and 701,993 during the corresponding week a year ago.

Receipts by provinces with the figures for the same week last year in brackets: Manitoba, 111,435 bushels (95,874); Saskatchewan, 314,750 (382,558); Alberta, 380,260 (223,461).

## Sensational Newspapers

Speaker Says That The Public Demands Details Of Crimes

Winnipeg.—If newspapers become sensational it is because the public demands details of crimes and tragedies, Isabel Ross, of the New York Herald Tribune, told a banquet audience.

The banquet was tendered members of the Canadian Women's Press Club, holding their triennial convention, by the Manitoba government.

The Herald Tribune writer said in Europe the American press is considered a hectic institution which runs to headlines, improper invasion of private rights and persecution of front page figures.

"The flight of the Lindberghs from their native country is the perfect argument in support of this theory and there seems to be no defence in this particular case," she added. "But to show you the public was really the driving force in this particular case—the Herald Tribune felt that the humanities were so involved in this frightful kidnapping that they would refuse to print anything about the story at all except a five-line box each day, stating just that there were no new developments."

"We did this for a week but we simply couldn't keep it up. The paper was flooded with cables, letters and protests. Our readers insisted on getting all the facts."

## MORE BRITISH SHIPS ARE SUNK BY BOMBERS

Valencia.—Shortly after two British freighters were sunk by an aerial raid outside Valencia harbor, two new incidents involving British merchantmen were reported.

The British merchantman Gloxinia, 3336 tons, was said to have been attacked at sea, after leaving Valencia.

The freighter African Trader, according to wireless conversation overheard by ships in Valencia harbor, was downed over an insurgent plane and instructed to proceed to Palma, insurgent base in the Balearic islands, or to take the consequences.

The African Trader, which had been damaged by Spanish insurgent warships last autumn while proceeding out of Bay of Biscay port, sent out a call for help picked up by the British destroyer Imogen. The Imogen sped to the African Trader's aid.

The seaplane was believed to have disappeared.

The Thorpeness, 4,789 tons, shattered by an aerial torpedo, went down with 7,000 tons of grain. The Sunion, 3,054 tons, formerly of Greek registry, was struck by incendiary and explosive bombs, burned for six hours and sank.

A British destroyer was ordered to remove the sailors, stranded here. One Chinese, aboard the Thorpeness, was the only life lost.

The attacking seaplane used a new type aerial torpedo launched almost at water level by the plane skimming the sea, thus hurling the torpedo at tremendous force into the side of the ship.

Phase attacks brought to 54 the total of air attacks on British ships since the Spanish war started—nearly half in the last three months.

The Thorpeness was pierced by the explosive amidships and lurched and sank within five minutes in 60 feet of water.

Chief Officer Norman Goater of Southampton managed to get away in one boat with 25 members of the crew. The captain, William Kermode, and eight others jumped into the sea.

The sea plane returned later and dropped explosive and incendiary bombs on the 3,054-ton freighter Sunion, firing her cargo. Flames from the ship lighted up the whole roads.

Captain Kermode swam a mile in his lifebelt to the Sunion which put out a boat to help rescue some of the Thorpeness' crew.

The Thorpeness' non-intervention observer, Jean de Meruay of Paris, said the raider barely cleared the British vessel's masts before loosing the torpedo which crashed into the engine room and tore a huge hole in the side of the ship.

It was the second attack on the Thorpeness during the Spanish civil war. She was bombed Jan. 20 in Tarragona harbor and four members of her crew killed.

The attack by the lone raider was similar to others in the recent series of attacks on British ships. The captain declared it was a "deliberate and premeditated attack to sink a British ship anchored at sea."

## SUSPECTED SPY WAS WORKING IN PLANE FACTORY

Ottawa.—A suspected German spy, linked with an espionage ring investigated in New York city, was found working in an aircraft factory in Montreal four or five weeks ago, it was disclosed here.

A wall of secrecy was thrown around the disclosure by Royal Canadian Mounted Police and officials of the department of national defence. It was impossible to determine whether the man had skipped the arrest, whether he was under indictment or arrest in the American investigation, or even his name.

The R.C.M.P. has been co-operating closely with American G-men in the espionage investigation in New York so that Canada may not become a haven from which spies might operate in collecting information on United States armament plans.

As far as Canadian war plans are concerned, with the exception of suspected Japanese espionage on the Pacific coast, The Canadian Press learned the government takes the attitude nothing is being done which could not be exposed to the public.

It could not be determined where the intelligence division of the department of national defence received the tip about the Montreal aircraft worker, but the American and British governments co-operated in the investigation in New York and it was assumed either one of them supplied it.

It was not known whether the man spotted in Montreal was one of the 18 under indictment in New York or whether he was on the outer fringe of the espionage ring.

It was the first spy incident coming to light in Ottawa for years.

New York.—In a court suit without precedent, the United States government battled to prevent one of its former ace agents from publishing what was advertised as the "inside story" of German espionage ring.

Federal Judge Murray Hubert reserved decision on the government's application for an order restraining the New York Post from publishing a series of articles by Leon G. Turrou, who resigned as special agent of the department of justice. The temporary restraining order was continued.

Turrou, who helped solve the Lindbergh kidnapping-murder, the agent chiefly responsible for the recent indictment of 18 persons, including 14 now in Germany, on espionage charges.

Judge Hubert agreed with counsel that the case was without precedent. "It is not so much a question of freedom of the press," said the court, "but whether persons engaged by the government to perform an act can publish information obtained by that act."

## By Consent Of People

Former Woman Labor Minister Previews Socialist Government For Britain

Vancouver.—Hon. Margaret Bondfield, former Labor minister in the British cabinet, said in an address here she "believed" a socialist government would rise to power in Great Britain "within a decade."

Speaking before the Canadian conference on social work here, Miss Bondfield said it was her opinion the socialist state would not come by violent revolution but "by the consent of the governed through the maintenance of the principles of free speech, the right of public meeting and a free press."

"But," she continued, "if these healthy channels of democratic expression are thwarted or abused by vested interests on either side, by groups of people in a community who refuse to face the facts of modern industrialism, then the morbid story of revolution, repression and reaction may come even to our democratic countries."

While improvement and extension of social services was being urged, the human problem of the right use of leisure had to be considered.

"The leisure thrust into the world by the improvement of productive processes has appeared for far too many people under the dead form of purposeless idleness," Miss Bondfield said.

May Prerogative Parliament July 1st

Ottawa.—Prorogation of parliament before July 1 was the possibility held out by Prime Minister Mackenzie King when he told the House of Commons he proposed to ask for morning sessions.

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## Contentment.

SOMETIMES we have a capacity load and unload in this column, but for some time inspirations have been far away; we have seen a number of much-needed improvements, smiled in content at what some worthy organization has accomplished, and thus this column has been left to mourn. Perhaps it is better that way.

Very often we feel as though we would like to give vent to our feelings, our thoughts, our motives and our convictions. We, as many others, are prone to sit and wait, watch for something suitable and then hop to it.

Very seldom do any hop at the right time; in other words, we try to please everyone, and just make a fizzle of it. We are not giving vent to any feelings now, just facts.

For a while things run smoothly, then, what! Ah, there must be a nigger in the woodpile somewhere. Our plans are not turning out as we expected, we are not being pleased as we were a short time ago. Someone else is being favoured.

Here, we can say "Pleasing the Public." We sometimes wonder if there are any who can please all they come in contact with.

As an illustration, let us take a car; especially an old one. It may purr along splendidly for several hundred miles without even showing a sign of any trouble. Then, all of a sudden there is such a thing as trouble. When the mechanic comes around, checks it over, does a bit of adjusting somewhere (a mechanic who understands can explain this better, fastens a loosened wire, and then, again the motor purrs and in a few minutes we forget we had any trouble.

So it is with life, with friends, and the public in general: We arrive at conclusions before the mistake or trouble has been located, and when we see that it was "not so bad" we are sorry and perhaps have lost something through being too hasty.

We endeavour to be and have friends, to do unto others as we would have them to do unto us, but, as all human beings, we do not aim right and miss the mark. In one sense, we are all aiming for the one conclusion and to one end. Although it is difficult to meet our calling, we can maintain the friendship we now have.

So, just as a suggestion, suppose we stick to what we have, keep our own true friends, cling closer to our fellow citizens, those who take an interest in our welfare, and then, forgetting what we are, be happy.

When boxers enter the ring they shake hands, do they not. Are they friends when they begin to outwit each other? They do not quarrel before they enter the ring, and when they are out they are the best of friends.

Can we picture this, can we imagine what it would be if people, even though they are in a different sphere and have a different attitude towards something than others, would be real friends when it comes to citizenship?

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## Goozles.

C. Culhoun says white sheep are more than black ones, because there are more of them.

George Jones playing aerophone.  
Squibb getting a kick out of life.

Joe Pike says he has a nice bunch of peaseable people to work with. (Many just dread the cemetery.)

Bookie Coffin telling the Wood Inspector that he was leasing his woods for the grasshoppers. "We may get a hail later that will kill 'em." "It may kill all of us," says the Inspector.

It's miserable to have to get up at four in the morning to look for the best dressing gown.

A new bicycle is the ideal thing for a quick getaway," says Bill Aldred.

Corporal Cameron giving a couple of local boys a ride.

Someone wondering why some of the country roads wear down so fast. Perhaps they need gravel.

George Naaslyk all ready for the big day

## TRAIN TIME AT CROSSFIELD

### NORTHBOUND

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Daily Except Sundays

523...leaves...10:07 a.m.

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#### DAILY

522...leaves...5:21 a.m.

Daily Except Sundays

524...leaves...12:21 noon

526...leaves...5:35 p.m.

### SUNDAYS ONLY

"The Chinook"

Southbound, 528...2:10 p.m.

Northbound, 527...6:01 p.m.

## Observations.

The following are a few clippings from Peter Brown's Review, Toronto, June 21st:

It's wrong to judge a man by what he stands for nowadays. It's what he fails for that really counts.

Give a girl a filled canpanat, and it's amazing how long she can amuse herself.

Mrs. Irene Castle McLaughlin, noted dancer, says she doesn't know how she can make both ends meet on \$750 a month given her by a divorce court judge. There are a lot of persons in this country who would like to try the experiment.

Eclipse pictures of the sun show gas and hot air shooting out in all directions. My goodness, do they have a parliament there too?

It's funny but the traffic lights are all green on the road to ruin.

The Australian weevil has been discovered in this country, and thus another menace to farm crops has arrived. It's getting so that the only things that a farmer can keep without spraying are his grindstone and the mortgage.

I must insist that the real test of good breeding is trying to be a gentleman in dealing with someone who won't let you be one.

Even the dogs seem to have lost the good old Canadian habit of thrift. We haven't seen one bury a bone in a long time.

A wise person will never interfere with a married couple until both are dead.

Our forefathers were those quaint old-fashioned people who, if they couldn't earn enough to get along on, they got along on what they earned.

Even a person who has no enemies probably has a few friends of whom he is ashamed.

When parents sit down for a quiet talk with their children about the fact of life, mention should be made in a cautious way about the national debt we are leaving them.

The nicest thing about the present war in the "Far East" is that it's so far west.

## The World of Wheat


By H. G. L. Strange

"Seed time and harvest... shall not cease," the Bible tells us. In this Book are found a surprising number of maxims and precepts about agriculture, setting forth the advantages of the use of good seed, of proper cultivation of the soil, of keeping weeds down and so forth. In fact it is not too much to say that if a farmer today were to operate according to the many injunctions given in the Bible, that he would simply be carrying out the advice given by the most modern agricultural authorities—and yet those biblical injunctions were written thousands of years ago.

This year, 1938, is the four hundredth anniversary of the first printing of the Great English Bible, which took place in 1538. This was the first complete Bible in the English language that was authorized by ecclesiastical authorities for use in English churches, and it was only displaced in 1611 by that very miracle of English literature, the revised King James or Authorized Version as we have it today.

No doubt when the promise was made to Moses in Genesis that "Seed time and harvest shall not cease" it was based upon the assumption that farmers would carry out the good agricultural practices as advised in the ancient and good Bible.

## CLASSIFIED ADS.

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**Answer.**—By the security of the governments, municipalities and properties upon which the loans are made—and the financial responsibility of the borrower.

**Q.**—Are there restrictions as to what type of investments Life Insurance companies may make?

**A.**—Yes, all investments are subject to strict governmental regulation.

**Q.**—What is the total amount of Life Insurance funds invested in Canada?

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**BASEBALL QUESTIONS.**

This is the finish of the questions to be answered. Will all those who have been answering these kindly forward them to the secretary of the Juvenile Baseball League, M. N. Jones, on or before July 15th.

1. When a batsman is running bases and fails to touch the base, what is the proper procedure to get the runner called out? Can the umpire call the runner out without the fact being called to attention by fielding team?
2. If a baseman holds the ball momentarily after touching a runner off the base and then drops it, can the runner be called out?
3. What is the limit allowed for a baseball game to be called legal?
4. Is it ever right for the pitcher to have his foot back of the pitcher's plate in the act of delivering the ball?
5. With two out, can a man score while a play is on for a trapped runner to make the third out?

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**LOCALS TRIUMPH  
OVER DOG POUND**

The Crossfield Seniors turned in their best performance of the season in a regular Bush League game, Sunday last when they turned back the strong Dog Pound nine, by a score of 9-7.

With weather conditions ideal, the rival pitchers hooked-up in a hurling duel, which lasted about five innings. Then the batters decided it was time for them to share the spotlight. In the sixth inning, Poffenroth pitching for Dog Pound, was driven from the mound by the locals, after giving up seven hits and five runs. T. Borbridge relieved Poffenroth with two men on bases and nobody out. Five hits and four runs soon spelled finish for him.

Poffenroth was called back to the mound, retiring the side in short order. Had he been left in it is doubtful if the locals would have scored as many runs as they did in the short while Borbridge was in.

Moen went the full nine innings for Crossfield, although allowing seven runs, was very effective in the pinches, and with the help of his mates at the plate, who had a very good day, was full value for the win.

This win puts Crossfield in a first place tie in the Bush League. Batteries: Crossfield: Moen and Laut. Dog Pound: Moen and Poffenroth, T. Borbridge and K. Borbridge. Umpires—Moore and Gehring. Next game Crossfield at Garfield Sunday July 3rd.

**SOFTBALL.**

We know that the girls are busy and play a good game, even though

we do not hear from them, but we would like a bit of news once in a while. Let us have it, please.

Nothing from the "novelty men" Perhaps they have been too busy preparing for the big day (tomorrow). You'll have to see them play at the sports grounds.

**LOCAL JUVENILES****WIN AT IRRICANA**

Saturday afternoon last, June 25th, the local Juvenile ball sluggers motored to the Wright and Bond farms, about seven miles west of Irricana, to play ball at the Field Day held there that day.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS  
BRIEFLY TOLD

A new air mail route was recently opened from Prince George to German Landing in northern British Columbia.

A national insurance bill was given third reading by the Australian house of representatives. The vote was 33 to 28.

The Duke of Gloucester, brother of the King, opened the 10th International Red Cross conference in London with an appeal for aid to innocent victims of war.

Pilot-Officer Colin W. E. Millburn of Prince George, B.C., attached to the Bristol Norton Aviation school at Carterton, Oxford, was killed when his plane crashed on near Pilkins.

Shortage of saleable grain at the lakehead, reduction in iron ore output and adverse general business conditions have combined to have many vessels tied up in ports of the upper Great Lakes.

A plan to make provincial medical organizations of the Canadian Medical Association is approved by seven of the nine provincial bodies represented at the national society's 29th annual convention at Halifax.

A monument to Jews who died with the allied armies in the Great War was inaugurated at Donaustrasse, France, by Naval Minister Cessari Campinchi with the pledge France would defend freedom for all races.

Espionage trials of 195 military and civil officials of government Spain, in which about half face the death penalty, have begun in Madrid, travellers from Spain reported recently.

Request for an investigation into livestock marketing was made in the House of Commons by Harry Leader (Lib., Portage la Prairie) and seconded by Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett, Conservative leader.

## Bombing Horrors

Degeneration of Civilization May Result From Brutal Tactics

The disasters that have so far occurred in China and in Spain are but miniatures of what can be done by two modern nations of equal strength and equal ferocity.

Any one so foolish as to think they are of little importance because China, and even Spain, is far away, should reflect that the fate of Chinese and Spaniards to-day may be, on a more horrible scale, his to-morrow. And he thinks that at least it does not concern him as yet, he should realize that the air attacks on the cities of Spain and of China already mean that the science and material advances which have been Europe's gift to the world have degenerated into weapons of destruction.

No good European can feel free of the shame implicit in the events of the last week. A civilization, to-day common to the whole world, that allows such crimes to proceed unchecked deserves to perish and inevitably will.—London Spectator.

## Ready to Make Proposals

United States Government Wants To Secure World Disarmament

Prime Minister Chamberlain told the House of Commons that the United States government had indicated it was preparing to make definite proposals to secure world disarmament.

Asked by Arthur Henderson, Labor, if Great Britain were willing to "join with the United States government in making definite proposals with a view to securing a halt in the arms race," Mr. Chamberlain replied tersely:

"The United States government have suggested they are going to make an attempt."

The prime minister refused to elaborate on this brief statement.

## Reports Less Crime

The Pas, Manitoba, Not Troubled With Criminals

There has been no serious crime in The Pas, gateway to northern Manitoba's mining industry since 1929, and the very isolation of the town from major centres of population has been an important factor in producing that situation, according to Chief C. M. Coghill, formerly of the Manitoba Provincial Police, and chief of police at The Pas since 1929.

Important also in keeping crime at a low ebb at The Pas has been the fine co-operation given police officers by the 3,700 inhabitants, said Chief Coghill, attending the annual convention of the Chief Constables Association of Canada at Edmonton.

The Boston Museum of Fine Arts has 138 pottery vessels from the tomb of Pharaoh Cheops' mother, Queen Hetep-het, who lived 5,000 years ago.

## Need Welfare Workers

Official of Canadian Council Says Problem Becoming Acute  
Miss Marjorie Bradford, of Ottawa, assistant to the director of the Canadian Welfare Council, told the sixth Dominion conference on social work in Vancouver that the entire development of social services in Canada was "threatened by the lack of competent personnel for their staffing."

She said the personnel problem had become more acute "with the change in our developing welfare programs." Assurance was required that there would be a continuous supply of qualified workers—"trained, experienced men and women, of proven competence and of mature and stable judgment."

"The problem is a real one," she said. "All social work is marking time before it, and the answer must rest in part with the training schools, in part with the well-established agencies in our older centres, and in part with the members of the profession in equipping themselves for this pioneering and responsible parts in public service and in the voluntary agencies."

## Mounties in England

Enthusiastic Reception in London To Police From Arctic Circle

Lance-Corporal Norman George McDowell, of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, stationed at the shore of Canada House in London for the first time, was surrounded by a large crowd blocking the entrance, seeking autographs, and taking photographs.

London's reception to the mountie, who spent seven of the last 11 years above the Arctic circle, was enthusiastic.

The London Evening News ran two pictures of Corporal McDowell and his wife and streamed its story: "A Mountie Exchanges Lonely Yukon for Canada House Job."

## DOUBLY USEFUL TO JUNIORS:

By Anne Adams



## British Housewife

Miner's Wife Is Honored At Nottinghamshire, England

Mrs. F. M. Millward, a miner's wife from Mansfield, Nottinghamshire, has been chosen from a list of 5,000 women as "the most representative British housewife."

Member of the women's section of the British Legion and of a choral society, Mrs. Millward was picked by the selection committee because she had been married 21 years, raised six children, was a good budgeter, found time for profitable interests outside her home and was "really happy."

Mrs. Dobbin Crawford, Liverpool surgeon, said: "A man and woman should marry for love, should be of the same social class, the same age and interested in each other's pursuits and occupations."

Mrs. M. M. Bear, founder of the Wayfarer guild: "Domestic servants make excellent wives because of their training. Though men might walk out with factory girls, typists or clerks, when they wanted to settle down they showed a preference for domestic servants."

Robert Boothby, Conservative member of parliament for Aberdeen, warned bachelors not to marry until the girl of their choice proved she could cook.

## North Pole Expedition

Sir Hubert Wilkins Expects To Leave In July, 1939, On Submarine Adventure

Sir Hubert Wilkins, British explorer, said he expected to leave in July, 1939, on a submarine expedition to the North Pole.

Sir Hubert, who arrived from England, where the \$125,000 ice-breaking submarine is under construction, said his party would consist of seven besides himself. The expedition will start from Spitzbergen, Norway.

Scot-Doctor, what can I do to prevent seasickness?  
Doctor—Have you a xipex?  
"Yes, and I hold it between your teeth."

Banana production of Formosa (China) was 52,000 tons in 1921; today, it is more than 100,000 tons.

A huge demand for American corn, rather than wheat, is reported from Europe.

## Youth Hostels Come To Canada

Plan To Extend Movement From Maritime To British Columbia

New impetus is being given to hiking in Canada by a movement known as the Youth Hostels Association, already registered in a number of countries. The aim of youth hostels is everywhere the same—to enable young people to enjoy hiking and cycling in the beautiful outdoors of Europe and North America; to enable youth to find wholesome companionship along the road, travelling inexpensively, and acquiring a knowledge of their neighbors' land and customs as well as their own. One of the codes of the hikers is that they pledge themselves to leave the countryside unmarred as a result of their travel in it.

The youth hostels idea began in Europe in 1911, as the result of a dream of a German schoolmaster. Since its inception, youth in millions upon the open roads of Europe have advanced youth hostelling from a national to an international movement. In 1930 hostels were opened in England; in 1934 the movement spread to the United States. To-day there are thousands of hostels in forty different countries with several millions of members. As youth hostels concern themselves not at all with the religious or political beliefs, or social positions of members, the movement has become more and more a lessening racial distinctions.

So far Canada has but a dozen or more hostels and a scant hundred members. The first youth hostel in Canada was opened in the foothills of Alberta, and a total of twelve now forms a chain from the E. P. Ranch to the town of Banff in Banff National Park. In 1937 Canada was the twelfth country to be admitted to the International Youth Hostels Association, and extensive organization work is now being carried on to extend the movement from the Maritimes to British Columbia.

The development of outdoor recreation during the past decade has been a remarkable feature of Canadian social life, and is reflected in the increasing use and appreciation of the National Parks as playgrounds. Hiking is among the least expensive of forms of sport, and attracts thousands who find among the mountains, hills and valleys of these outstanding scenic regions, new health and happiness and a greater appreciation of nature in all its varied forms.

## Will Cost Ten Million

Rajah Of Bamra To Have A Buckingham Palace In India

With his dark eyes sparkling after an hour's footrest lesson, the 24-year-old Rajah of Bamra, told a Sunday Dispatch reporter in London of his plans to build a "Buckingham Palace" in his Indian State.

To be built in marble, with mosaic floors, lapis lazuli and onyx pillars and fittings, the cost will be £2,000,000 "at least."

The palace is to have automatic lights which switch on and off the moment anyone enters or leaves the room, illuminated fountain which will play night and day, and two swimming pools in green and black onyx.

The Rajah is in England to see British architects and engineers.

"I want the interior to be as like Buckingham Palace as possible," he said.

The young palace-builder, with jewels worth more than £50,000 for his ceremonial turban, talked about London's stately stores.

He and his Prime Minister, A. K. Bose, have been making a tour of them.

"I have bought one or two 3d. and 6d. buttons," the Rajah said. "They are wonderful stores."

During his visit the Rajah has spent considerable time in two-penny Underground trips and in learning to dance.

On one week special foods from his own cook at Deoga are flown by Imperial Airways to Croydon.

"I am keeping most of the food that has been flown over for me to take with me to the Continent soon," explained the Rajah.

"I am very interested in dairy farming, and I am to visit Holland because I am told their dairies are so fine in the world."

"When I return to India I intend introducing my electric robot system for our roads."

Then the slender ruler of Bamra, tiger-hunter in his spare time, hurried off to another twopenny Underground jaunt.

"Does your husband believe in the theory that kissing transmits germs?"

"No. He thinks that the only transmitter of germs is money, and is very careful not to hand me any."

Chinese street merchants sell syrup-covered crab-apples strung on a long widow stick in place of the traditional lollipop of American youngsters.

CELLULOSES  
OF CHEMISTRY IN EVERYDAY LIFE

BY DR. H. G. LITTLE.

Cellulose as a Chemical Raw Material



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## Modern Plastics in Everyday Use

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## Variety Of Suggestions

Methods Some People Employ To Put Themselves To Sleep

Sophie Kerr, novelist: "I found my recipe in The Lives of a Bengal Lancer." It is simply to draw 20 even breaths, then on the 21st hold the breath as long as possible. By the time I have done this three times I am drowsy."

Harrison Cade, artist: "I place my hands back of my head, relax, and contemplate something which represents great quiet and tranquillity—such as a drowsy midsummer moon, while I go to sleep on a grassy slope beneath a shade tree and see a blue pool in the distance."

Kitty Carlisle, musical comedy star: "I sing old songs to myself. It's difficult to remember the lyrics of songs you haven't sung for a long time, and in trying to recall the words I drop off to sleep."

Major Anthony Fiala, explorer: "On my trip through Brazil with Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, I learned my best lesson: When I go to bed, it's solely for the purpose of sleeping. - If I cannot sleep, I get up and exercise until I am tired."—Reader's Digest.

## Saved For Four Years

Widow Paid Hospital Bill Out Of Old Age Pension

A widow who saved for four years out of her old-age pension, has paid off a debt she considered she owed the General Hospital, Kingston, Ont., according to R. Fraser Armstrong, superintendent.

The woman, who proved gratitude for old favors still exists, is the widow of a man who died in the hospital's public ward in 1934. Because she was without funds, hospital authorities wrote the account off the books.

Recently the woman called on Superintendent Armstrong and insisted that he accept \$65 which she had saved. The money will be used for some special service to a ward patient, Superintendent Armstrong said.

## The Cravat Goose

Was Introduced Into England More Than 200 Years Ago

It is always a pleasure to mark a flock of the fine, bluish-grey Canadian geese which haunt such meres and broads as those of Cheshire and East Anglia, says the London Daily Telegraph. More than two hundred years have passed since they were introduced. Now they have been endowed with an English name, the cravat goose, from the white patches on the sides of their black faces.

Their wanderings in winter seem prompted by a lingering trace of migratory instinct. It is possible that flocks have now flown to us from Canada.

## Allowed For Earth's Curvature

Huge Machines For Polishing Safety Glass Must Be Accurate

When the Ford motor works erected huge machines, each 600 feet long, to grind and polish safety glass, engineers of the firm estimated that it was so great that allowance actually had to be made for the curvature of the earth for absolute accuracy; other glass handled in huge lengths would not be of uniform thickness. So a curvature of 1-40th of an inch each way from the centre of the great machines had to be allowed as an offset.

When the hair is cut the necessary weight is lost, the scalp weakens and the hair falls out, says an eminent professor. And thus we have baldness from too much hair-cutting.

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## WHAT HO!

—By—  
RICHARD CONNELL  
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### CHAPTER XIV—Continued

Crump came in.

"Beg pardon, m'lady," he said, but Captain Duff-Hooper sent his man over to say that he is riding at ten and will be pleased to have you join him."

"Ask him to tell Captain Duff-Hooper that I'm sorry but I shan't be able to ride with him," said Rosa.

"Very good, m'lady."

"And Crump, we're saved."

"Saved, m'lady?"

"The castle and everything. Mr. Bingley has come to our rescue."

"May I express my gratitude, sir," said Crump.

"And I think you'll be interested to know that Elaine is in excellent working order, except that she squeaks a bit when she wags."

"Oil her springs," said Ernest.

"I was about to do so," said Crump, and faded from the room.

In the kitchen Crump found Slat lackadically polishing a silver fish-slice and whistling "Happy Days are Here Again."

"Less music and more elbow-grease, if you please," said the butler.

"But happy days are here again, Mr. Crump," said Slat.

"To-day we see the last of the loopy Yank."

"I was not aware that Mr. Bingley intends to leave us to-day," said Crump.

"Well, I saw him packing his things, such as they are. Is he going to shoot the moon, do you think?"

"If, by that vulgar expression, you imply that Mr. Bingley is going to steal away without paying his rent," Crump said frostily, "you are doing a grave injustice to a most honorable gentleman."

"Well, he's going, and that's something," said Slat.

"Wonder what he'll tip. Good riddance, I say. Happy days are here again."

Slat rose three inches from the floor on the top of Crump's toe.

"And if you'd like another dose of the same, young Slat," Crump said, "just let me hear you pass any more remarks about Mr. Ernest Bingley."

In the breakfast room the earl was demolishing his third dish of codded eggs.

"Rather dressy this a.m.," he remarked. He could not have meant himself.

"Oh, I dressed up for your birthday," Ernest said.

"Did you also pack your bag for my birthday?" asked the earl.

"I fell over it in the hall."

"My month is up, you know, sir."

"Don't be a gun-drop," said the earl.

"Stay with us as long as you like as our guest."

"Thank you, sir, but I just can't," said Ernest.

"I'd like to, though, very, very much."

"Name just one good reason why you won't stay on and at least spend Christmas with us."

"Business."

"Business be blowed," said the earl.

"You people can take care of it. You can keep in touch with them by phone—if we had a telephone. Tell you what—I'll have one put in."

"I'm terribly sorry," said Ernest.

"But there is a matter which needs my personal attention. I must leave for New York at once."

"You'll be back, of course."

"Some day, I hope."

"Soon?"

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"Not very soon, I'm afraid," said Ernest.

"You'll always be welcome at Bingley Castle, Ernest, old chum," said the earl.

"Thank you."

"Well, if you must go, you must go, I expect," said the earl.

"On the first boat I can get out of London."

"We'll miss you," the earl said.

"Won't we, Rosa?"

"Yes," she said, her eyes on her eggs.

"You must keep in touch with us, Ernest," said the earl.

"Yes, sir."

"I collect souvenir post-cards, you know."

"I'll send you some."

"With Indians on them?"

"Yes, sir, with Indians on them."

"That's jolly good of you, Ernest. You must not forget us," the earl said.

"I'll never forget—Bingley Castle," Ernest said.

Ernest, hat in hand, overcoat on arm, stood in the castle hall.

"Slat is getting out the car," Lady Rosa said.

"I don't go to the station with you. I loathe platform good-byes."

"I hate good-byes myself," said Ernest.

"I wish you weren't going, Ernest."

"I don't feel as if I were going home," Ernest said.

"I feel as if I were leaving home. Staying here was the most beautiful thing that ever happened to me."

"I'm glad you feel that way about us."

"I guess it was the most beautiful thing that ever happened to anybody."

"Will you write to me?"

Ernest did not look at her.

"No, Rosa, I won't," he said.

"You won't? Why?"

"I can't tell you."

"Please—no must."

"It would be—well, it would not be right."

"Not right? Oh, Ernest, I think I understand."

"Do you, Rosa?"

"This matter of business you must attend to personally—tell me, Ernest, is it a girl?"

Ernest Bingley increased and creased his hat. In a low voice he answered.

"Yes, Rosa. It is a girl."

"You've never talked about her."

"I didn't think you'd be interested," Ernest said.

"Ernest! You knew—you should have known—I'd be interested."

"Why, Rosa?"

"It doesn't matter now. Are you engaged?"

"Secretly."

"When will you be married?"

"As soon as I reach New York."

"What is she like?" Rosa asked.

"What I mean she has the same coloring and voice and eyes—and all things," said Ernest.

"What does she do?"

"Do? Who?"

"Your fiancée, of course."

"Oh, I guess you'd call her a society girl," Ernest said.

"Very social. Very athletic. Rides horse back, drives her own airplanes—the usual things."

"How sporting! She must be painfully rich?"

"Oh, she is. Her father owns all the hotels in Chicago."

"All of them?"

"Except two."

"What's her name?"

"Her name?"

"That's what I said."

"Why is it Ro—Rowena?"

"Rowena?"

"No, just Rowena," said Ernest.

"Rowena what?"

"Surely you haven't forgotten," said Rosa.

"Of course not. It's—Castle. Rowena Minerva Castle."

"Pretty name. So you're going from one castle to another?"

Ernest's laugh was distinctly a fourth-rate expression of hilarity.

"That's right. Castle to Castle," he said.

"I hope she'll make you very happy, Ernest."

"I hope you'll be happy, too, Rosa."

"Oh, I'll have no worries about the castle—ours, I mean. Lots of hunting and riding. Why shouldn't I be happy?"

"I suppose," said Ernest—"I suppose you'll marry yourself some day."

"Not myself. But I suppose I shall marry a man, if asked."

"Duff-Hooper?"

He seems to be leading the field at the moment.

"You won't get married right away, will you?"

"Maybe. Maybe not. I may shop around."

"I wish you would. I mean—well—"

"Why?"

"It would be awful for you to marry anybody—I mean anybody you were not terribly in love with."

"Let's stop talking about me," said Rosa.

"You must start soon if you're to catch your train. What can be your father?"

"Where is he?"

"Said he had to go to his study to get something."

"What?"

"A parting gift, perhaps," said Rosa.

"I say, Ernest, you must have a picture of Miss Castle with you. I'd be most interested to see it."

"I haven't—I mean—well, I've a sort of picture," said Ernest.

"Prettier, though."

"All right."

He took from his suit-case the old miniature of Lucy Bingley.

"She's charming!" exclaimed Lady Rosa.

"And she does look a little like me. Prettier, though."

"She is not."

"Why, Ernest! Is that any way for a bridegroom to talk?"

"It's the truth," he said.

"Never tell Rowena that," advised Rosa.

"Why is she in fancy dress costume?"

"Amateur theatricals."

The Earl of Bingley came hurrying toward them, bearing a large package. He presented it to Ernest.

"I want you to have this as a memento of your visit and as a very slight token of my great esteem," he said.

"It is not diamonds. I wish it were."

"Thank you very much, sir," said Ernest.

Outside the door there was a sound like a riveting contest in a tunnel.

"I think I hear our car," said the earl.

"So does most of Somershire, I expect. I say, Ernest, what's that picture?"

"His fiancée," Rosa told the earl.

"Really? Mind if I have a peek?"

He took the miniature of Lucy Bingley from Ernest's hand.

"Jove, she's lovely," he said.

He stared hard at Lucy Bingley's comely face.

"I could swear I've met her some place. Who is she?"

"Rowena Castle of Chicago," said Ernest.

"And you could hardly have met her, sir. She's never been abroad."

The earl wagged his head over the picture.

"I met her twin sister then," he said.

"She has no twin sister."

"Wish she had," said the earl.

He handed the miniature to Ernest who stowed it in his bag.

Slat opened the front door.

"The car is here, m'lud," he announced.

"I thought it wasn't woodpeckers I heard," said the earl.

He held out his hand to Ernest.

(To Be Continued)

## Reliable Coin Testers

Counterfeit Currency Is Quickly Detected By Apes In Siam

As protection against the wave of counterfeit coins in Siam, merchants of Bangkok and other cities have installed large apes as coin testers. Every coin received is given to the ape, which puts it in its mouth. If it is good, the animal drops it into a receptacle behind him. If it is bad he throws it on the floor, chattering loudly. How they know the difference is a mystery, but they are said always to be right.

## A Timely Warning

Cold Desserts Or Drinks After Heavy Meal Are Dangerous

Dr. Harry M. Eberhard told members of the American Institute of Homeopathy at Philadelphia, that many deaths from "acute indigestion" were caused by heart attacks brought on by cold teas or drinks after a hearty meal. Chilling the stomach stops the flow of digestive juices for about half an hour, Dr. Eberhard said. Then they start flowing at an excessive rate to make up for lost time.

## Saved Prize Sheep

Mixture Of Whiskey And Milk Prevented Death From Exposure

Whiskey mixed with milk saved prize stud sheep from death on the Chatsworth House ranch, Australia, recently. In an effort to save valuable flocks from death by exposure during heavy rains and floods, the ranch owners bought up gallons of whiskey and milk. A solution of the two was injected into each member of the valuable flock and not one died of exposure.

British Tommy: "Yes, on Christmas Eve, 1917, my regiment was in Jerusalem."

MacTavish: "Aye, an' I guess th' shepherds watched their flocks that night, all right."

A new kind of paint made in Germany is said to be impregnated by having nitrogen salts and synthetic resin mixed in it.

If only we could tell when the future was beginning!

## FLIN FLON

"The Story of Its Finding and Position To-day"

By FRATT KUHN

present reserves blocked out for 15 years' more continuous operation. To-day there is no relief, no talk of depressions and hard times in Flin Flon, Manitoba—the busy little city of 8,000 named after the mine; and pay checks amount to about \$280,000 monthly. Because the civic authorities insist that everyone must be self-supporting, don't rush to Flin Flon unless you have money enough to get back. The civic authorities are a little hard-bodded about doing out relief, because they feel that everyone should be self-supporting. And that's the final end of our Flin Flon story—for the present at least—though we may give you another picture later on because the subject is so interesting and so important to the people who live in the West, particularly in Manitoba and Saskatchewan.

## Student Of Plant Life

Jack Miner Spends Much Time Cultivating Flowers and Trees

Far better known for his championship of the principles of wild life conservation, Jack Miner is nevertheless a keen student of tree and plant life. Proof of this is seen at his big nursery in Kingsville, where the roadside leading to his estate is lined with literally thousands of gorgeous blooms.

Yes, the naturalist has spent nearly as much time on trees and flowers as he has on his feathered visitors. Perhaps one of the choicest iris beds in North America may be seen at his home, grown through the years from bulbs donated by an admirer of the naturalist.

Few gardens on the continent are made up of flowers gathered from such a wide range of climate and territory. Practically every state of the Union and every Canadian province is represented.

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The naturalist has clear-cut views on flowers as gifts. Give flowers to the living, not neglect them for the dead, he counsels. At a recent birthday celebration, Jack Miner told reporters he would have no desire to live, but for children, flowers, birds and music. And he meant it.—By Lance Connery.

## Originator Of Idea

King Edward VII. Suggested Private Bath For Hotel Rooms

The late King Edward VII. was originator of the idea of every hotel room being equipped with private bath, Charles C. Ritz told reporters. As Prince of Wales the king visited Ritz frequently and stayed at the Bristol hotel. A bathtub was brought through the streets and carried to the royal chamber when the prince wanted a bath. The prince suggested to Cesar Ritz that a hotel with bath in every room "would be a paying proposition," and the idea was carried out when the Paris Ritz was opened in 1888.

## Secret Of Good Advertising

Is Putting Interesting Facts Into Words That Will Attract Readers

"Good advertising, like good thinking and good talk, feeds on facts," says Mrs. Bernice Fitz-Gibbon, publicity director for the John Wamaker store. "The good ad is where you feel the writer knows all but hasn't time to get everything in; not a dull, long, and let it go at that. But when the Cassandra of today warns us that we are threatened with a totalitarian form of government, or that if we don't watch our step we will become an autarchy, the man in the street doesn't know what she is talking about. He even remains a bit foggy over such a simplification as 'State despotism.' But some genius will come along and solve the problem in one syllable."

Judging by their size, the biggest dinosaurs may have eaten 500 to 1,000 pounds of food a day.

## For Your Preserving



## Use It This Year

### New Operation Method

Puts Patients Back Into Circulation

A method by which a Rumanian physician puts his patients on their feet directly from the operating table was described in the Journal of the American Medical Association.

"This new method is of inestimable advantage in time of war," the Journal's Bucharest correspondent reported on the work of Dr. Campeanu, lecturer at the University of Bucharest.

"The evacuation of war hospitals thus becomes simplified. By shortening the stay of patients in the hospital, the surgical section of Campeanu's clinic in Brasov were able, with the same number of beds, to accommodate 500 more patients than in the previous year."

The articles said in the period from 1934 to 1938, 3,150 patients left their beds in the British Empire, each without experiencing any disadvantage.

The article said: "An assistant of Campeanu whose appendix had been removed, after having slipped down from the operating table, forthwith acted as assistant at the next operation and afterwards walked about. His recovery was prompt."

## The Alexandra Peal

Remarkable Bells Were Gift To British Empire 50 Years Ago

The ancient Society of College Youths rang the Alexandra Peal, some of the most remarkable bells in the British Empire, on the anniversary of the Coronation. The peal, which hangs in the Queen's Tower of the Imperial Institute, was a present 50 years ago from Mrs. Elleneth M. Miller, of Melbourne, the only condition of the gift being that the bells should be rung on the birthday and accession day of the Sovereign and the birthdays of the Prince and Princess of Wales. Each of the bells is named after a different member of the Royal Family. Their total weight is over eight tons, and when they are in full peal the tower of the Institute awakes nearly a foot out of alignment.

## One Of Greatest Needs

Simple Word To Replace Puzzling Ones Now In Use

What this country needs is not a good five-cent cigar but a good five-cent word to replace such 15-cent alien importations as "totalitarian," "autarchy," "communist" and "fascist." Our forefathers had a word for it, says the New York Times. They called it tyranny and let it go at that. But when the Cassandra of today warns us that we are threatened with a totalitarian form of government, or that if we don't watch our step we will become an autarchy, the man in the street doesn't know what she is talking about. He even remains a bit foggy over such a simplification as "State despotism." But some genius will come along and solve the problem in one syllable.



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## Church Notices

**Church of the Ascension**  
 (ANGLICAN)  
 Sunday, July 3rd.  
 10:00 a.m. Sunday School  
 11:40 a.m. Bible Class  
 7:30 p.m. Evensong  
 Sunday School and Bible Class will  
 close down for the summer months and  
 re-open on September 11th.  
 Rev. A. D. CURRIE, Rector

**United Church Services**  
 "Where there is no vision, the people  
 perish."  
 Sunday, July 3rd.  
 Dominion Day Services  
 11:15 a.m. Crossfield Sunday School  
 11:00 a.m. Rodney  
 3:00 p.m. Tany Bryn  
 7:30 p.m. Crossfield  
 Rev. S. Hunt, B.A.B.D., Minister

**Crossfield Baptist Church**  
 Regular Sunday Services  
 11:00 a.m. Morning Service  
 12:45 noon Sunday School  
 8:00 p.m. Evening Service  
 Services at Abernethy 3:00 p.m.  
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## Local and General.

Joe Lennon was an Olds visitor  
 Saturday last.

R. D. Sutherland was at Didsbury  
 last Friday.

F. Colliott was an Edmonton  
 visitor last week.

Mrs. Gunsolly, of Cardston, is  
 visiting friends in Crossfield.

Among those working on the  
 highway, we noticed Ro Fleming.

John Blough left for Nanton  
 early Monday morning, where he  
 has accepted a position on a ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Spivey, of  
 Eckville, were visitors in town over  
 the weekend.

Miss Helen Sharp, of Carstairs,  
 spent the weekend at the home of  
 her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Sharp.

Miss Helen Hepworth, of Bonners  
 Ferry, Idaho, U.S.A., is visiting  
 at the home of her grandparents,  
 Mr. and Mrs. S. Willis.

Mrs. M. Goldie and Gavin Goldie  
 of Calgary and Miss Isobel Goldie,  
 of Olds, were weekend visitors at  
 the F. Mossop home.

We have been informed that Mr.  
 J. T. Davis has sold his house to  
 Mr. C. C. Stafford, who will move  
 into it about the first of January.

Miss Mary Saunders, of Banff,  
 has recently accepted a position  
 on the Home Cafe staff. She is a  
 sister of Mrs. J. Willox.

J. Chalmers has finished painting  
 the T. Fitzgerald buildings. He  
 has also finished painting the inside  
 of W. J. Wood's garage.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Knowles and  
 family of Calgary were weekend  
 visitors at the home of Mrs.  
 Knowles' mother, Mrs. S. Collins.

Mrs. Dalton, of Calgary, who  
 has been visiting at the home of  
 her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F.  
 Hopper, left for her home Friday  
 last.

If you're thinking about a birth-  
 day gift for someone, call at the  
 Chronicle Office and have the  
 Chronicle-donations worry about it  
 for you.

Meet your friends in Crossfield  
 this week Friday, July 1st. Many  
 interesting and worthwhile sports  
 have been planned for your benefit.  
 Let's go.

S. Boyd, who has been relieving  
 at the High River branch of the  
 Bank of Commerce, returned Sat-  
 urday, to continue his duties in the  
 local Bank.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Smart and  
 their two children are spending a  
 two week's holiday at Sardis, B.C.  
 They left last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Davis, accom-  
 panied by Mr. and Mrs. M. N.  
 Jones, leave this weekend for Port-  
 land, Oregon, where they will  
 spend a vacation.

In last week's issue we failed to  
 mention Miss Mildred Metheral,  
 the leader of the Boy Explorer club,  
 who headed the enjoyable time at  
 Calgary last weekend.

Dale Miller left by bus Saturday  
 night, for Kingsgate, Washington,  
 where he will join his father, who  
 has been there several weeks. From  
 there they will go to Spokane,  
 where they intend spending the  
 summer at work.

The Rev. and Mrs. A. D. Currie  
 attended the dedication of the new  
 Anglican church at Elнора, on  
 Thursday last. 29 years ago Mr.  
 Currie rode horse over the ground  
 that the church and village of  
 Elнора now occupy. He was in-  
 terested to meet many of the old-  
 timers there.

## If You Think

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## Announcements.

This Friday, July 1st, the Post  
 Office wickets will be open from  
 10 to 11 a.m. only.

The Young People of the Cross-  
 field Baptist Church have charge  
 of the services this Sunday evening  
 and invite all who are interested in  
 a short programme, to be present  
 at 8:00 p.m.

The Boys and Girls Calt Club  
 will be holding a judging class and  
 picnic at the Willow Springs Ranch,  
 by the kind courtesy of Mr. and  
 Mrs. F. Collicutt, on Tuesday, July  
 5th, at 2:00 p.m. All club members  
 and anyone interested are invited  
 to be there. Ladies will please  
 provide.

C.W.L. Members please note  
 The July meeting will be held on  
 Wednesday, the 13th, in the  
 Masonic Hall, Crossfield, at the  
 usual time, for the purpose of en-  
 tertaining the Balzac and Carstairs  
 Locals. A good turnout please.

## PRECIPITATION REPORT.

Combining the precipitation that  
 occurred last autumn during the  
 months of August, September and  
 October, and the rains which have  
 fallen this year from April last to  
 June 18th, inclusive, and weighting  
 for wheat acreage, the moisture  
 condition in Alberta on June 18th  
 was 92pc. of the normal as com-  
 pared with 97pc. for the previous  
 week, and 98pc. for the week before  
 that.

For Saskatchewan, on June 18th,  
 the condition was 86pc. as com-  
 pared with 89pc. for the previous week,  
 and 84pc. for the week before that.

For Manitoba, on June 18th, the  
 condition was 84pc. as compared  
 with 87pc. for the previous week,  
 and 86pc. for the week before that.

Taking the three prairie provinces  
 as a unit, the weighted average on  
 June 18th was 88pc. of normal, as  
 compared with 90pc. at the same  
 time last week, and 89pc. for the  
 week before that.

The use of moisture by the young  
 plant up to this stage of its growth  
 is comparatively small. From now  
 on, however, the moisture utilization  
 increases rapidly. Due to this fact,  
 therefore, the importance of the  
 moisture situation is accentuated  
 at this time.

Born, on June 26th, to Mr. and  
 Mrs. W. Aldred, a son.

Mrs. J. A. Emery left for her  
 home in Vancouver Wednesday  
 evening.

Lauretta Fike left Wednesday  
 evening for Seattle, where she will  
 spend the holidays with her aunt  
 and uncle.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Becker and  
 family and L. Becker were visitors  
 at Black Diamond, taking in the  
 stampede there.

Born, on June 26th, at the  
 Johnson Nursing Home, to Mr.  
 and Mrs. N. King, Madden, a son.

We have been informed that  
 Mr. G. Butler has been employed  
 as weed inspector.

E. C. Collier, L.L.B., Barrister  
 and Solicitor, will not be in Cross-  
 field Saturday, July 2nd, but will  
 be here the following Saturday,  
 July 9th.

The Mission Band, led by Miss  
 Margaret Cameron, enjoyed a  
 hike out west last Friday.

The Misses Wilda Laut and  
 Margaret Cameron were Calgary  
 visitors Monday and Tuesday,  
 taking in the First Baptist Church  
 Social and the Avanti Banquet.

In last week's number we failed  
 to mention that Mr. W. K. Gish  
 was the organizer and leader of  
 the High School picnic at Banff.  
 Great credit is due him for the  
 able way in which he managed  
 the young folk and provided such  
 a good time for them.

On Tuesday, morning the Rev.  
 and Mrs. Currie accompanied the  
 Bishop over to the west of Bottrel,  
 where the Bishop confirmed two  
 persons, Mr. and Mrs. Lee, and  
 afterwards held a communion  
 service for over a dozen people  
 who were present at the home of  
 Mr. and Mrs. Lee, one mile west  
 and two miles north of the  
 Bottrel store.

## Sports

(continued from page 5)

Batteries: Irrisna: C. McKay, H.  
 Dennis  
 Crossfield: L. Sharp, W. Hall.  
 The conveyancers were Messrs.  
 Frank Murdoch, E. Bills and D. J.  
 Hall.

## CARSTAIRS HERE

LAST THURSDAY

The Crossfield Hall Park was the  
 scene of a hit-and-run ball game  
 between the Carstairs and Crossfield  
 Seniors, Thursday last, June 23rd.

The game wound up by Phil  
 Weber pitching the last half of the  
 ninth, E. Bills being the last batter,  
 thus making it a real oldtime game.  
 And the score was 10-9 in favour of  
 Carstairs. Batteries: Carstairs:  
 J. Miller, Winger and Weber pitch-  
 ing. Staull catching.

Crossfield: McDonald pitching  
 and Last catching.

## HORSESHOE.

We have not heard from these  
 fans and players for some time. A  
 bit in our columns would be good  
 reading for a change.

## LAST GAMES IN THE

BUSH LEAGUE SCHEDULE

JULY 3  
 Cremona at Dog Pound  
 Water Valley at Melvin  
 Crossfield at Garfield  
 JULY 10  
 Water Valley at Dog Pound  
 Garfield at Cremona  
 Crossfield at Melvin  
 JULY 17  
 Melvin at Cremona  
 Garfield at Dog Pound  
 Water Valley at Crossfield

## Around Field and Barn.

By E.M.C.

The State of Minnesota is the  
 richest agriculturally, of any state  
 in the Union, and it was through  
 the dairy cow, Minnesota now  
 produces forty million pounds more  
 butter annually, than the entire  
 Dominion. That is something to  
 think over.

Agriculture is the foundation of  
 our comfort and security, we should  
 then direct our attention and

activities to those conditions that  
 would prevent our progress, and  
 increase our production costs, insect  
 pests, weeds and soil-drifting, these  
 three at least can be controlled,—  
 why not?

Visit The Olds Agricultural  
 Farms this summer, it is surprising  
 how many have never been there,  
 those who have, like to go again,  
 Sunday??

And then there is the School  
 Board that takes an interest in the  
 school grounds, plants trees, sows  
 grass, uses paint, cuts the weeds,  
 fixes the fence and the barn,—and  
 some who don't, never have, and  
 apparently never will.

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